Government of West Bengal Finance Department Pension Branch Writers' Building, Block -IV, 2nd floor, Kol-1

Memorandum

No. 620-F(Pen)

Dated, the 29th June, 2006

Sub: Eligibility of divorced/widowed daughter for family pension beyond 25 years of age till their remarriage/death.

A question has arisen whether family pension is admissible to the widowed/ divorced daughter of a Government employee/pensioner even after her attaining 25 years of age.

- 2) After careful consideration of the matter the Governor has been pleased to decide that the benefit of family pension shall be extended to the widowed/divorced daughter of State Government employee/ pensioner even after her attaining the age of 25 years till her remarriage or death. This is. however, subject to the condition that the benefit should not be admissible when the eligible daughter has an income exceeding Rs. 2600/- per month from employment in Government, Semi Government, Statutory Bodies, Corporation, Undertakings, Private Sector, Self employment etc.
- 3) Formal amendment of the relevant rule will be made in due course.
- 4) This order will be effective from the date of issue of the memorandum.

Special Secretary to the Government of West Bengal.